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- Once you submit your deposit to the Admission Office, the College will create your SAGeNet account, giving you access to your Sage email account and SageAdvisor. Your login and password information will be sent to you by email if you provided us with a personal email address or via U.S. mail. Please note that you should check your Sage email account on a daily basis throughout your time at Sage.
 - Toward the end of the Spring semester, the Office of Academic Advising will send an email to your Sage email account with your faculty advisor contact information and a web link for online registration and advising resources. You will be pre-registered for spring courses based on the transcripts we have received to date. Please note that you should work closely with your faculty advisor to make any adjustments to this preliminary schedule based on any current coursework that you may be in the process of completing.
 - Before contacting your advisor, familiarize yourself with the following resources.
 - Review the College Catalog online. Pay particular attention to the General Education and Major Requirements for your program. If you are undeclared, explore some of the programs that you are considering.
 - Review your academic information in SageAdvisor and Student Planning. View your online Transfer Credit Evaluation and run an Academic Evaluation Report (also known as a degree audit). This should include any transfer credit the College has already received. Refer to the link on the Advising Center's website if you need help reading the report.
 - Review the upcoming Course Schedule online through Student Planning.
 - Contact your faculty advisor through your new Sage email account regarding your preliminary course schedule and registration for the upcoming semester. At this time, you and your advisor may decide to discuss things over email, on the phone, or in person. If you have trouble connecting with your faculty advisor, please contact the Advising Office (RSCadvising@sage.edu) for assistance.
 - Transfer Credit: Be sure to check your Transfer Equivalency Report in SageAdvisor to verify the courses that have been transferred to RSC, if any. Contact Mary Dirolf in Student Services at dirolm@sage.edu with any questions. If you are currently enrolled in pre-requisites for courses you intend to complete this fall, please inform your advisor so that we can notify Student Services to allow you to register. Be prepared to provide official descriptions of the courses you intend to transfer from another institution.
 - All new students are expected to attend Orientation to ensure a successful start to your first year at Russell Sage.
 - New First Year Student Orientation: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 (More information will follow from the Student Life office.)
 - New Transfer Student Orientation: Wednesday, August 15, 2018 (More information will follow from the Student Life office.)
 - Be sure to submit all required health and immunization forms to the Wellness Center prior to the start of the semester. Review requirements at: <https://www.sage.edu/student-life/wellness-center/>.
 - The night before classes begin, you should check your updated class schedule in Student Planning for classroom locations. Classes begin Monday, August 27, 2018.
 - New Students can consult with their faculty advisors throughout the semester and should begin planning their 2018-2019 schedules in March.
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